



PATENT APPLICATION  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN APPLICATION OF )  
MICHAEL R. SCHWARZ ) ART UNIT: 1617  
SERIAL NO.: 10/623,402 ) EXAMINER: A. M. COTTON  
FILED: JULY 18, 2003 ) CONFIRMATION NO.: 4637  
TITLE: METHOD OF MINIMIZING )  
HERBICIDAL INJURY )

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated July 9, 2007. A petition for extension of time and fee by way of authorization to charge Deposit Account 50-2510 accompanies this Amendment, bringing a response to be due on or before November 9, 2007. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) accompanies this Amendment to reopen prosecution of the case. Upon entry of this Amendment, Claims 7 and 10 will be cancelled and Claims 1-6, 8-9 and 11-16 will be pending.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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